

The Address presented to His Majesty at *Kensington* the 11th. day of *June* 1700. by the Lord *Rofs*, and the Lairds of *Grubbet*, *Torwoodlie* and *Dollary*, Commissioners appointed by the other Members of Parliament, who subscribed the same.

WE Your Majesty's most Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, the Subscribing Noblemen, Barons, and Burgeses of this your Ancient Kingdom of *SCOTLAND*, Members of the same Parliament which happily Settled Your Majesty's Government over Us, and has ever since given continued Proofs of Zeal and Affection to your Majesty's Service in the several Sessions thereof: Do humbly Represent to Your Majesty, that having according to Your Majesty's Royal Appointment, met together in Parliament, with full Resolution to have proceeded in the like good Intentions, for the Honour and Interest of your Majesty and People;

It is to Our unspeakable Grief and Disappointment, that not only there has been no Return given to the Unanimous Address of the last Session of Parliament, Expressing the whole Nation's Concern in the *INDIAN* and *AFRICAN* Company: But also after a Motion made in this Session of Parliament for a Resolve, That Our Colony of *CALEDONIA* in *DARIEN*, is a Legal and Rightful Settlement, in the Terms of the Act of Parliament 1695. And that the Parliament would Maintain and Support the same. Members beginning to Reason thereupon, were Interrupted by an Adjournment, which We Humbly Conceive is not agreeable to the 40 Act of the 11th. Parliament of King James the 6. Where it is promised, That nothing shall be done or Comanded, which might Directly or Indirectly Prejudge the Liberty of free Voting, and Reasoning of the Estates of Parliament, or any of them in all time coming.

And thereafter, by a Subsequent Adjournment, from the Thirtieth day of *May* instant, to the Twentieth day of *June* next, the Parliament was not permitted to come to any Resolution, in the pressing Concerns of the Nation; which we cannot think consistent with that Article of Our Claim of Right, whereby it is Declared, That for the Redress of all Grievances, and for the Amending, Strengthening, and Preserving of the Laws, Parliaments ought to be frequently called and allowed to Sit, and the Freedom of Speech and Debate secured to the Members.

We do therefore in all Humility and Earnestness, Intreat, That Your Majesty will be graciously pleased, to allow your Parliament to Meet at the Day to which it is now Adjourned; and to sit as long as may be Necessary, for Redressing the Grievances of the Nation, Asserting its just Rights and Priviledges, as well at Home as Abroad, in its Colony of *CALEDONIA*, And for Enacting such Laws as may be for the Advancement and Security of Religion, the Honour of your Majesty, and the true Interest of this Nation. We are

May it please your Majesty,
Your Majesty's most Dutiful, most Loyal,
and most Obedient Subjects and Servants.

BURGESSES.

Robert Chieslie --- for *Edinburgh*
Robert Smith --- *Perth*
Robert Cruikshanks --- *Aberdeen*
Walter Stewart --- *Linlithgow*
James Smith --- *St. Andrews*
Patrick Murray --- *Aber-Easter*
John Cutbert --- *Inverness*
Alexander Gedde --- *Bruntisland*
Francis Molison --- *Brechin*
James Hamilton --- *Dumfermling*
George Smith --- *Pittenweem*,
Robert Faa --- *Dumbar*
John Muir --- *Peebles*
James Stewart --- *Elgin*
Patrick Steven --- *Aberbrothock*
John Lyon --- *Forfar*
Robert Stewart --- *Rothsay*
James Scott --- *Rutherglen*
Robert Clelland --- *Anstruther-Wester*
Alexander Stevenson --- *Kilrenny*
Daniel Simpson --- *Fortross*
William Beatie --- *Bervie*
Patrick Murray --- *Sranrawer*
Adam Ainsly --- *Jedburgh*
William Hamilton --- *Queensferry*
William Brodie --- *Forres*
Alexander Edgar --- *Haddingtown*
Robert Stewart --- *Dingwall*

BARONS.

Alexander Gilmore of *Craigmillar*.
William Hepburn of *Beenshoun*
John Home of *Blackader*
George Baillie of *Ferrijswood*
William Bennet of *Grubbet*
Francis Scot of *Thirlestane*
James Pringle of *Torwoodlie*
Alexander Murray of *Blackbarrony*
William Baillie of *Lamington*
James Hamilton of *Aikenhead*
Alexander Johnston of *Elbishiels*
William Mackdowal of *Garibland*
John Craford of *Kilbirny*.
Robert Pollock of that ilk
Alexander Monro of *BearCrests*
Patrick Murray of *Livingston*
Thomas Sharp of *Houston*
James Craigie younger of *Dumbarry*
Thomas Burnet of *Lees*.
Alexander Arbuthnot of *Knox*
James More of *Stonywood*
Ludovick Grant of that ilk
Duncan Forbes of *Colodun*
George Brodie of *Astik*
James Kilpatrick of *Cloburn*.
William Enster of *Anstruther*
James Carnagie of *Finhaven*.
James Scot of *Logie Junior*
Thomas Abercromby of *Birkinbog*
Alexander Duff of *Bracco*
Adam Gordon of *Dalsfally*
Alexander Gordon of *Garthie*
Alexander Brodie of that ilk
Patrick Murray of *Pennyland*
William Craigie of *Gairfic*
John Erskine of *Alva*
John Swinton of that ilk
James Scott of *Logie*.
John Scott of *Webb*
James Scott of *Galla*
Robert Craig of *Rickarton*
William Morison of *Prestongrange*
John Lauder of *Fountainball*
William Stewart of *Ambrymore*

NOBLEMEN.

HAMILTON
TWEEDDALE
MARISCHALL
SOUTHERLAND
CASSILS
TULLIBARDIN
RUGLAND
STRATHALLAN
SALTON
ROSS
LINDORES
BLANTYRE
BURLEIGH
FORRESTER
BARGANY
ELIBANK
BELHAVEN
DUFFUS
COLVIL
KINNAIRD.

Memorandum, That several other Members of Parliament, who happen'd not to be present at the Signing of this Address, did not only previously agree to it, but did moreover sign the last National Address, which in express terms concurs with this.

